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Mr. Schmidt would like his comments added to the Docket.

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**From:** big dog <[redacted]>  
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to whom it may concern,  
 on 7/15/2016 my solar power generation system came on line. Since then my system has put 15,305KW onto the power grid. Over the years the energy company rates (cost per KWh has fluctuated from a low of \$0.106/KWh in 2018 to a high of \$0.139 in 2016) not counting ratchet charges. However the rate of reimbursement has stayed constant - \$0.033/KWh. The energy company's profit margin on my power has ranged from 321% to 421% for doing nothing.

Now the energy company wants to steal more of my money by imposing a retroactive fee going back 5 years!!!!

I am leasing my panels (20 year lease) as at the time (2016) it was a break even proposition. If i have to pay \$60/month for the privilege of making power for the energy company & paying them to send my power to my neighbors I CHOOSE NOT TO pay the energy company another penny over what i am currently paying.

If I have to, I will have to break the lease agreement with SUNRUN & have them remove the solar power generating system. SUNRUN will charge me in excess of \$32,000 for this for which I will pass along to the parties involved with this action. The additional \$60 a month surcharge will make my solar generating system unaffordable as well as undesirable.

Please DO NOT allow the energy company to steal more from me than they already are.

regards,  
 a concerned SC resident.  
 Dan Schmidt